

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-14.

Claims 1-14 (Canceled).

Please amend the following claims:

15. (Previously Presented) A process for presenting insecticide comprising:

a) presenting a base having a plurality of protrusions and ~~at least one a plurality of substantially straight elongated channels~~ having a surface ~~formed from on an exterior surface~~ of said base and each extending along said base between at least two of said plurality protrusions ~~said plurality of channels~~ for receiving and presenting insecticide;

b) inserting ~~an said~~ insecticide into said at least one substantially straight elongated channel so that said insecticide rests in said channel and is exposed;

c) depositing said base on a surface wherein said plurality of protrusions include at least two sets of protrusions that extend out in a substantially vertical manner and at least two sets of protrusions that extend out in a substantially horizontal manner

and are used to keep said plurality of channels spaced a sufficient distance apart from an adjacent surface so that insects can access the insecticide.

16. (Previously Presented) The process as in claim 15, wherein said insecticide is in the form of a gel substance and is injected along an exterior surface of said channel.

17. (Previously Presented) The process as in claim 15, further comprising the step of placing said base having said insecticide thereon in a region for interaction with an insect so that the insect will have access to the insecticide.

18. (Currently Amended) A process for presenting insecticide comprising the steps of:

a) presenting a base having a plurality of protrusions and a plurality of elongated indentations extending between at least two of said plurality of protrusions; and

b) injecting an insecticide into at least one of said plurality of elongated indentations so that said insecticide is disposed on an exterior surface of said base and is freely exposed for interaction with said insect; and

c) depositing said base on a surface wherein said plurality of protrusions include at least two sets of protrusions that extend in a substantially vertical manner and at least two sets of protrusions that extend in a substantially horizontal manner and are used to keep said plurality of indentations spaced a sufficient distance apart from an adjacent surface so that insects can access the insecticide in said plurality of elongated indentations.

19. (New) A device for presenting insecticide comprising:

a) a base having a surface with a plurality of indentations each having a surface for receiving insecticide;

b) a plurality of spacing elements in the form of protrusions with at least two spacing elements extending out from said surface on said base, said spacing elements disposed on each side of said plurality of indentations; and

c) an insecticide disposed on at least one of said plurality of elongated indentations so that said insecticide is disposed on an exterior surface of said base and is freely exposed for interaction with said insects wherein said plurality of spacing elements include at least two sets of spacing elements that extend in a substantially vertical manner and at least two sets of spacing

elements that extend in a substantially horizontal manner to keep said insecticide off of, and spaced away from a corresponding adjacent substantially horizontal or vertical surface.

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